PUBLIC LEDGER

DAILY — MAYSVILLE REPUBLICAN

SIXTH YEAR. MAYSVILLE, KY., TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1897. ONE CENT.

Holiday Merchandise
Holds Sway at Ballenger's!

Diamonds, in all mountings;

Clocks, in every variety;

Dishes and Plates, singly and in sets;

Solid Silverware, in newest designs;

Cut Glass, in exquisite patterns;

Watches and Jewelry, without end.

Prices, the very lowest.

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The columns of a newspaper represent a cash value. No publisher can afford to give advertising "notices" free any more than a merchant can toss over his counter free gifts of dry goods or shoes. A newspaper is a legitimate business concern. Its columns are its stock in trade, and advertisements should be paid for, no matter in what part of the paper they appear.

The Continued Cuts

upon THE LEDGER for free notices have become so burdensome that we are forced to publish the following terms:

For Notices of Suppers,

excursions, fairs, or other public entertainments where a fee is charged, and for obituary notices, resolutions of respect, &c., THE LEDGER *will charge* FIVE CENTS A LINE, *and hereafter this will be the unvariable rule.* This, however,

Does Not Include

notices of Lodge meetings or Church services, which must not exceed ten lines.

Avoidance of Disputes.

Misunderstandings are unpleasant. The rate for *Business Locals* in THE LEDGER is 10 cents a line for the first insertion and 5 cents a line for subsequent insertions. A customer orders a five-line local inserted in the paper. "I'll tell you when to take it out," he says to the bookkeeper. But he forgets all about it. The notice runs for two months—32 times;—the bill is $12 35. When he finds it out there is a "kick" and a controversy, followed probably by an icy feeling. Now, to obviate this trouble, no *"till forbid" notices will be accepted hereafter.* Let's have a definite agreement at the outset and the termination will be pleasant all around.

☞ All matter for publication must be handed in before 9 o'clock in the morning of each day.

HERE AND THERE

☞ If you have friends visiting you, or if you are going away on a visit, please drop us a note to that effect.

Mr and Mrs. O. D. Barrett of Cincinnati have returned home after a visit here.

Mrs. C. D. Lane of Hopkinsville is the guest of Misses Minnie and Annie McDougle.

Miss Mary O'Meara spent Saturday with her mother, Mrs. Alice O'Meara at Covington.

Mr. Henry A. Power is down from Paris on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Power.

Mrs. Sallie Fronk is at home from Georgetown where she was called by the illness of her brother.

Mr. Thomas Webster of Helena was in the city yesterday. He contemplates moving to Covington in the near future.

Mrs. Judge Lewis and children of Charleston, W. Va., have returned home after a visit to her father, Mr. John Armstrong.

Mrs. Josiah Wilson was called to Chicago Saturday by the illness of her son, Mr. James C. Wilson, who is suffering from gastric fever.

Miss Lillie Fleig of Ripley, after a month's visit with Miss Margaret Childs of East Third street, returned home yesterday afternoon, much to the regret of her many friends.

☞ *If you have an item of news, please call up* THE LEDGER, *Telephone 33, and send it in.*

Old Limestone Bourbon and Rye always in stock at John Brisbois.

Mr. Fred. H. Traxel has been confined to his home for several weeks.

For Sale—A Pony Cart and Harness; can be seen at Daulton Bros. Stable. f

Mr. John W. Power is quite sick at his suburban home on the Fleming pike.

Beginning yesterday the Maysville Postoffice now receives Western and Southern mail on Train No. 2 of the C. and O., arriving at 1:36 p. m., and this office also pauches on Portsmouth by the same train. This enables the Clerk on No. 3 to work all local mail between this city and Portsmouth, thus gaining several hours in its delivery.

GAVE BOND.

Dr. S. T. McClung Gives Security and Is Released From Jail.

Just as THE LEDGER goes to press Mr. Thomas J. Pickett, Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue for this District, entered bond in $500 for the appearance of Dr. S. T. McClung at the June term of the Circuit Court, and the Doctor was released from Jail.

BACK FROM CANTON.

With a wardrobe that is jaunty and a traveling bag, brand new,
He is smiling in the station as he grants an interview.
His manner's very knowing and his every glance implies
That his ship has just been sighted; that his star is on the rise,
He instructs you in the management of Government affairs,
And you feel that he is worthy of an office and its cares;
You wonder what exalted post 'twill be his lot to gain,
He is on his way to Canton, and he's waiting for the train.
A few days later he appears. He looks a little dazed,
The traveling bag seems smaller than it was when last you gazed.
When you strive for conversation, he has little more to say,
Than, "Young man, beware of politics; it really doesn't pay."
He's not at all his jovial self when stoutly he declares
"My time must be devoted to my personal affairs."
There is something in his manner that provokes a thrill of pain—
This man who went to Canton, and has just got home again.

—*Washington Star.*

MAYSVILLE WEATHER.

What We May Expect For the Next Twenty-four Hours.

THE LEDGER'S WEATHER SIGNALS.

White streamer—FAIR;
Blue—RAIN OR SNOW;
With *Black* ABOVE—'twill WARMER grow.
If *Black's* BENEATH—COLDER 'twill be;
Unless *Black's* shown—no change we'll see.

☞ The above forecasts are made for a period of thirty-six hours, ending at 8 o'clock to-morrow evening.

The Lexington Canning Factory will not can this year.

Mrs. L. V. Davis is able to sit up after being bedfast five weeks

Slop for sale in any quantity at Lime stone Distillery, beginning Feb. 8th.

Chenoweth Cold Cure, a boon to sufferers from grip, 25 cents. Well invested.

Over 2,750,000 persons are now employed in the famine relief work in India.

The Cincinnati coal war is over and dealers have put the price back to $2 a ton.

The meeting last night of the Odd fellows Funeral Aid Association didn't meet.

The venerable John Short was out yesterday after being housed up for several weeks.

Mr. Robert Perrine sold 125 acres of land an Tuckahoe to Mr. Jacob Sheeler for $7,834.

L. M. Collis and D. G. Wilson qualified as Executors of the late Henry P. Wilson, with M. B. Tolle surety.

The funeral of Mrs. Phoebe Kirk, wife of Milton Kirk, who died near Minerva yesterday, will occur at Shannon today

The New Era Restaurant will now be open all night. Lunch served at all hours. P. LUZI & Co.

The wife of Dr. Charles P. Pinckard died in Chicago a few days since Dr. Pinckard is a nephew of Miss Mary Hudnut of this city

Nearly the whole of yesterday was taken up in the Circuit Court hearing the testimony in the suit of Winter & Thomas of this city against the Cincinnati Leaf Tobacco Warehouse Company; and the case is still on trial.

There are sixteen boys in the Kentucky Penitentiary, ranging from 11 to 15 years of age. One of the youngest is Odie Kimbrough, aged 12, sent from Nicholas county for malicious cutting. He was sent for one year, and was received in November, 1896.

Valentine's Day passed without any broken noses or black eyes on account of "beautiful" and "humorous" missives sent. What a pity self-respecting people do not rise up and crush the semi-indecent and insulting trash that is sold under the name of "comic Valentines."

The unlucky "13" has another eye in maurning. The sale of tickets for last night's show at the Opera-house opened on the 13th, with the 13th set of tickets, as it was the 13th entertainment given this season;—and it would have been impossible to have gotten another small boy into the building.

"Japan and the Eastern War"—A stereopticon lecture with 80 superb views, projected by brilliant calcium light, by Sahuro Toyama, Nagasaki, Japan, in his native costume.

"One of the finest programs of its kind—Intensely interesting."—*Marion Mirror.*

"He is proving to be an able lecturer."—*Western Christian Advocate.*

At M E. Church, 7 p m., on Monday, February 22d

Mr. W. O. Outten is now agent for The Times-Star at this place. Anyone wanting the paper can notify him and he will deliver it to any part of the city.

Governor Bradley refused to pardon the imprisonment part of a sentence for carrying concealed deadly weapons imposed upon W. B Washburn of Flemingsburg

T. L Green, County Clerk, Mt Olivet, Ky, buys old United States and Foreign Postage and Revenue Stamps, and pays liberal prices for same. If you have any old Stamps, dating from 1830 to 1875, send them to him and get prices.

Three policemen were summoned to the Tennessee Senate Chamber to prevent threatened trouble between two officials. A State Senator had remarked that the Superintendent of Public Instruction was a brute, a ruffian, a coward and a few other things

The "Sunlight" Burners will distribute the gas much better, allowing a larger volume of oxygen to unite with the gas, and gives considerably more light by the use of a less amount of gas Cost only $2 attached to your gas fixture.

P. J. MURPHY, Jeweler.

Representative Murray, colored, of South Carolina, has introduced a resolution in the House stating that the state's electoral vote is irregular and authorizing the Speaker to appoint a special committee of five members of the present House, who shall serve in the next House, to investigate the alleged irregularities

State Inspector Lester has had $800 in in fees, claimed by the City Judge of Lexington, held up.

MUSIC, MIRTH, MELODY!

The Jolly Pathfinders at the Washington Opera-House All This Week.

It is with pleasure that the Managers of the Washington Opera-house announce an engagement with the best farce comedy entertainers traveling, Rentfrow's Jolly Pathfinders, who will hold a laughing festival at the Opera-house all this week, and judging from last night's production of "Below Zero," they should have a crowded house all week.

They have a reportoire of highly entertaining and original musical comedies, each and every one of which is protected by copyright ownership.

Rentfrow's famous prize ideal silver cornet band and solo operatic orchestra is a special feature, while the cast includes such capable artists as Miss Grace Rentfrow, Miss Jean Bortin, Miss Grace Seith, Miss Mabel Moray, Bert Hodgkins, Edmond Brussells, Harry King, the popular Rentfrows and others well known in the dramatic and vaudeville line. Fifteen years of brilliant successes attest the popularity of the Jolly Pathfinders.

Tonight "Australia" will be presented

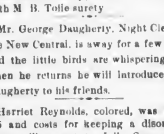
Thirty Years Ago!

Tuesday, March 2d, 1897, will mark the Thirtieth Anniversary of the starting of a Republican Newspaper in Maysville by the Editor of The Ledger. The occasion will be observed by the issue of a double number, and a large extra edition. This will contain some interesting references to citizens of that time; and it will afford good opportunity for present business men to advertise their spring offerings. Speak early for choice of space.

D. G Wilson declined to qualify as Guardian of Talma Milton Wilson, as provided in the will of H. P. Wilson, and L M Collis was appointed in his stead, with M B. Tolle surety

Mr. George Daugherty, Night Clerk at the New Central, is away for a few days; and the little birds are whispering that when he returns he will introduce Mrs. Daugherty to his friends.

Harriet Reynolds, colored, was given $25 and costs for keeping a disorderly house. She went to Jail. Soon after, she was taken before Judge Harbeson on a writ of habeas corpus, which the Judge dismissed. So the Police Court authorities have been right some more.



"Foot" Dinger drove his dray along,
And 'twas a job quite risky,
The wheels were going round and round,
His mulesbire was quite frisky.

The wheels were low, the mud was deep,—
There was a sudden lurch—
Into a hole up to the hubs—
Within ten feet of Church.

NARROW ESCAPE.

A Madman Came Near Shooting Detective Fitzgerald at Covington.

Thomas H. Wright, who went suddenly insane Saturday, was arrested in Covington yesterday morning after a desperate struggle with the officers.

Wright came within an ace of killing someone.

He pulled his revolver from his overcoat pocket and tried to shoot Detective Fitzgerald, who seized him, but the hammer of the revolver caught in the madman's glove and he was unable to use it.

While he was struggling with Fitzgerald, Detectives Butler, Crim and McDermott rushed up and succeeded in landing him at Covington Police Headquarters.

There he stated that he would have killed all the officers but for the accident that happened.

Wright said that he had a good time and was ready to die.

Wright had been stopping with James Gedge, right next door to where Chief of Police Pugh lives.

Fire Insurance—John C. Everett.

Mr. Jacob Slack has been seriously ill for some time

Postmaster Chenoweth is so much improved that he expects to be out this week

The many friends of Miss Mattie Davis will be gratified to know that she is steadily improving.

The ladies of St. Patrick's Church are rehearsing a play soon to be given at the Convent of the Visitation for the benefit of that institution.

Some of the patriotic ladies of this city are arranging for an entertainment for the benefit of the Cubans who are struggling for their liberty.

Howard Blythe, about 20 years of age, wanted here to answer a charge of felony, was arrested at Covington yesterday. He was locked up to await the arrival of a Maysville officer.

Mr. F. C. Petry, one of Maysville's best known business men, left last afternoon for Clifton Springs, N. Y. He goes for health, which has been undermined by too close attention to business, and his many friends hope he may be fully restored. His sister, Miss Anna M Petry, accompanied him.

LEWIS COUNTY APPLE TREE.

For Ninety Years It Has Produced Golden, Luscious Fruit.

On Enoch McCall's farm, two miles East of Vanceburg, is an apple tree that has been bearing fruit far ninety years.

It is a yellow bellefiower and was planted when that whole region was almost one solid forest and has lived to see the giant of the woods disappear, towns and cities spring into view, two generations of people die, three new generations appear and yet the old bellefiower stands like a sentinel at his post and still annually drops big yellow apples.

It would take a basket forty eight feet wide set under the tree to catch every apple that falls.

Five feet from the ground it measures nine feet six inches in circumference.

The tree shows some signs of decay now but no doubt the year of 1900 will find it producing as sweet and fragrant blossoms and as delicious golden fruit as it did nearly one hundred years ago.

It has done duty for almost a century, defying the elements to destroy its usefulness and has certainly earned a homestead.

A new complaint was filed against Butler, the alleged Australian cut-throat.

Lyman J. Gage was tendered a farewell dinner by the Chicago Commercial Club.

Postmaster General Wilson has been elected President of Washington and Lee University.

In another place will be found notice of the sale of two tollhouses on the Washington and Clark's Run Turnpike, one house near Washington and one near Fernleaf, sale to take place Saturday, February 27th.

Y. M. C. A. PARAGRAPHS.

Interesting Items That Every Man in Maysville Should Read.

The Boy's Rally on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock was more largely attended than the January service had been, and a good interest was shown. Mr. Joseph Easton spoke very helpfully on the subject "The Boy Daniel."

"First Aid to the Injured" will be the theme of a special talk to be given by Dr. C. C. Owens before the members and gentlemen friends of the Y. M. C. A. this evening at 7:30 o'clock After this practical talk an exhibition of the class drill and exercises in the gymnasium will be given. No admission fee, and all men invited.

Those who attended the Men's Rally on Sunday afternoon were given a rich treat along musical lines. The Christian Church choir was present and sang several soul-stirring anthems of praise, and in addition Mr. T. Reed Chunn sang very pleasingly "The Lord My Pasture Shall Prepare," and a quartet made up from choir members rendered "Alone With Jesus" very effectively. There was also good speaking, Rev. I. P. Trotter giving an earnest and practical address on "The Young Man's Opportunities" About 100 gentlemen were present

The junior members and their girl friends were very pleasingly entertained in the Association parlor last Saturday evening, and the "Valentine Reception," to which they had been looking forward for some time with great expectations, proved to be highly successful. The music for the occasion was kindly furnished by the Misses May Burgess, Lida Berry, Mary Huston January and Bessie Owens, and was enjoyed by all. Every one participated in the games, which occupied the first part of the evening's program, and following these was the "cake walk," a most pleasing feature to the onlookers especially. The Judges, after considerable discussion as to who deserved first mention—for all had performed their part in this exercise with grace and naturalness—decided to give one of the cakes to Buford Chenowath and Elizabeth Clinkinbeard and the other to Laurance Phister and Bessie Hunter. Refreshment was then provided in the form of candy kisses, and the closing feature consisted of the "Valentine Grab-bag," each one drawing from the mail pouch a pretty valentine. Before leaving the boys expressed, by a rousing "aye" vote, their thanks to the musicians and to those who had donated the cake and confections and to all who had contributed in any way to the success of the occasion.

The total subscriptions of all kinds to the Tennessee Centennial Exposition now amount to about $1,000,000.

Five men, including a Constable, are under arrest in Montgomery county for the murder of J. M. Cockram.

The Mayor of Bloomington, Ill., has been indicted for permitting a notorious pickpocket to escape from the city prison.

CUM GRANO SALIS!

Craddock Says He Paid For Having His Hair and Whiskers Trimmed.

Paris Kentuckian.

In Lexington we called on the woman barber, where one of the finest looking of ladies presides—Miss Sarah J. Jones on South Broadway near Hill. She is a fine brunette, 20 years of age, 160 pounds weight. Like the usual barber, she is a fine talker.

"I came here from Beattyville to live with my sister, Mrs Moses, wife of the drummer."

"Moses," we repeated, "I thought you looked like a pretty Jewess."

"Yes, but I m not; I am an American," she replied.

We asked: "Are you married?"

"No, sir."

"Neither am I; but of course you wouldn't marry an old bachelor like me."

"No telling, if he could take care of me."

We had simply asked that our hair be dressed, as we wanted to make presentable appearance among some ladies at matinee to hear the play of "The Girl I Left Behind Me," as we had left Senoritas in Mexico, Canucks in Canada and other foreigners, besides our lovely Americans.

"Then," said the barber, "you better let me trim whiskers and hair, just to cut off the uneven parts."

Then again it occurred to her that we needed shampoo, and it was so agreeable to an old bachelor to be thus barbered by a lady we made no objection. After closing the barbering she suggestad our necktie needed arranging, coat dusted, etc.

"What's to pay?" we asked the charmer.

"Leave that to yourself."

"Take pay from this dollar, and I will also give you $5 in published interview."

"Come back again," she suggested, as barbers always do, and we will.

Miss Jones wants to engage some other young lady to learn barbering with her.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured

with Local Applications, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

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UP to date, if we may believe all the reports, WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN has refused at least $250,000 worth of engagements, and only one measly little $50,000 situation has refused him.

AND now come both Governor BRADLEY and the Hon. JOHN W. YERKES and denounce as false the newspaper reports that there is ill feeling between them. If we had a law for the suppression of lying correspondents, the afternoon newspapers of Louisville could give all their Frankfort news in a stickfull of type.

IT is said to be definitely settled that the Hon. JOHN G. CARLISLE will locate in New York and open a law foundry as soon as he quits the Secretaryship of the Treasury. Mr. CARLISLE was not eggsceedingly well pleased with the eggstraordinary reception tendered him on the occasion of his last visit to his old home at Covington.

PREPARATIONS for President-elect McKINLEY'S inauguration are rapidly approaching completion. Up to date accommodations have been approved by the Public Comfort Committee for 35,408 persons, and places where meals would be served for 19,820. There is a probability that the Shenandoah Valley Patriotic Legion, composed of about 500 ex-Confederates, will be in line. One of the features of the Legion's share in the parade will be the band of the old Stonewall Jackson Brigade.

"THE American Minister at Rome, WAYNE MACVEAGH, has had the honor of dancing with the Queen of Italy. We believe he is the only American Ambassador who ever had the honor of dancing with a Queen.—*Sandusky Register*."

It was the boast of the late Hon. WILLIAM MCALEER of Philadelphia that he danced with Queen VICTORIA, but that, we believe, was before her coronation. Nor should we ever forget that "Paramount" BLOUNT had a little Virginia reel—or was it a cake walk?—with her majesty Queen LIL, once upon a time at Honolulu.—*Times-Star*.

Our Cincinnati contemporary is in error. It was the late Hon. RICHARD VAUX of Philadelphia who danced with Queen VICTORIA; and the dancing was done in 1837, when Mr. VAUX was Secretary of the American Legation at the Court of St. James.

WHEN the McKinley Bill was passed, the Tariff had not received a thorough revision for thirty years. The people were unprepared for the radical changes which had been made necessary by the changed conditions during those thirty years.

Protection Cheapens Prices.

Comparatively few of the people in general realize yet how the McKinley Bill enlarged the free list or know in how many cases it lowered Tariff rates. These things the Free-traders, for their own purposes, passed by. They dwelt on the cases where an increase of duty had been found necessary. People in general, says The American Economist, were deceived into thinking that the McKinley Bill had advanced rates without reason or consideration. They did not understand the necessity for the increased rates where they were made and they feared results. This state of affairs does not exist today, and will not work the destruction of the new Tariff Law. However the people may lack knowledge still of the specific provisions of the McKinley Law, they lack no appreciation of its beneficent results. They have come to understand the scientific and statesmanlike methods which underlay that measure. They have come to realize the changed industrial conditions, and to know that Tariff changes are made to meet changed conditions and not merely to express the whims of the framers of the bill. Moreover, they will not be afraid of high duties per se. There were plenty of instances under the McKinly Law where the duty on an article was materially raised, but still the price of the article did not advance. Take the case of tin plate, for instance. The duty was materially increased, and yet the retail price of tin plate did not advance. The only result of the increased duty was the establishment of many mills for the manufacture of tin plate, and the giving of employment to many thousands of hands. The people can stand as many results of that kind as the new Tariff Law chooses to give. The Free-traders will have to do something more than cry "high Tariff," if they want to have any effect in the future. The people are not going to give the attention to that empty charge that they did before their experience under the McKinley Law taught them that "high Tariff" and low prices often go hand in hand.

Now For '97!

Encouraged by my largely increased business of the past year, and in order to meet the largely increasing demands of my trade, I have taken advantage of the great depression in business throughout the country, which has been the cause of forcing large quantities of the most desirable goods in my line on the market at extremely low prices, and bought for cash the largest, cleanest and most attractive stock of goods ever offered to the people of this city. Therefore, I am in condition to offer to cash and prompt paying customers the greatest bargains ever offered to the trade and at the same time give them the very best class of goods. My stock consists of every article and much more than can be found in many strictly first-class houses in the country, consisting of

STAPLE AND FANCY GROCERIES AND CANNED GOODS!

Best Sugar-cured Hams and Breakfast Bacon, Flour of various brands—Buckwheat Flour, Graham Flour, Entire Wheat Flour, Wheatlete—pure Maple Syrup, best brands of Pickles, Snider's Catsup and Chili Sauce, Pure Cream Cheese, Fruits, both Green and Dried, of all kinds; in fact, every article that can be named and at prices that knock out all competition. My house is headquarters for Poultry, Game and Oysters in season, always fresh and tempting, and when you want the best cakes and bread don't fail to buy my Perfection Flour—it is always the best; and my Blended Coffee has no equal. *Watch for my Specials*, and don't fail to take advantage of them. I want country people when in our city to make my house headquarters; you are always welcome. And don't forget that I run two wagons regular and will deliver all goods promptly. If you can't come telephone No. 83, and your wants will be attended to. Thanking all for the very liberal patronage of the past, I hope by fair dealing and prompt and polite attention to the wants of the public to merit a continuance of same.

R. B. LOVEL, THE LEADING GROCER.

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WANTED—Colored woman to do general house work. One from the country preferred, with references. 414 West Third street. feb3 1w

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FOR RENT—Four rooms on second floor and two rooms on third floor Market street, over J. P. Nash's barber-shop and Wood Bros. meat-store. R. K. HOEFLICH. feb11 2t*

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Featherbed; all goose feathers; used only short time. Will be sold cheap. Apply to THOMAS MAHER, 210 East Third street. feb5 2t

FOR SALE—Guaranteed 8 per cent. bonds, running 10 years or less; coupons payable semi-annually at First National Bank of Maysville, Ky. oct25 1y A. E. COLE & SON.

LOST.

LOST—Sunday night, between the Christian Church and Commerce street, a pair Steel-frame Nose-glasses. Please return to Letter Carrier THOMAS M. LUMAN. feb9 1w

FOUND.

FOUND—Child's Kid Glove. Call at No. 123 East Third street. feb8 1w

FOUND—A fine Collie Dog, yellow; owner will call at this office, prove ownership and pay charges. fe4 1w

AMBASSADORS.

Estimated Cost of Erecting Their Official Residences.

The U. S. Supreme Court Holds a Mid-Recess Session.

Surgeon Robert M. O'Reilly's Successor—Mr. Murray, Representative From South Carolina, Introduces His Bill—E. P. Speer Stabs Wm. Callan.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Maj. Robert M. O'Reilly, surgeon, will be relieved from duty as attending surgeon in this city by Maj. Wm. R. Hall, surgeon, and upon the expiration of his present leave in Europe will proceed to Fort Wayne, Mich., to relieve Lieut. Col. Justus M. Brown, deputy surgeon general, who will proceed to New York city, and upon the retirement of Col. Charles T. Alexander, assistant surgeon general, May 3, will take charge of the medical supply depot in that city.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The supreme court of the United States held a mid-recess session Monday to hear argument in the case of the filibustering steamer Three Friends, and took advantage of the fact to dispose of 25 or 30 cases which had been under consideration. Among them was the case of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway Co. vs. the state of Ohio, ex rel Russell C. Humphrey, it was decided that the state of Ohio had control of the railroad bridge over the Ashtabula river, and that the railroad company must either remove it or put in a draw, as adjudged by the supreme court of the state.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Mr. Murray, the colored representative from South Carolina, has introduced in the house a resolution authorizing an investigation into the political affairs of South Carolina.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—E. P. Speer, of Georgia, a chief of division in the treasury department, Monday afternoon while in his office became involved in a quarrel with Wm. Callan, a collector, during which Speer stabbed Callan. Callan was taken to the Emergency hospital where his wounds were dressed, and subsequently removed to his home. No arrests have been made.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Secretary Olney sent to the house Monday an estimate of the cost of erecting official residences for our ambassadors abroad as follows.

Austria $146,000; Belgium $25,000 to $50,000; China $35,000; France $300,000; Germany $325,000 to $800,000; Great Britain $60,000 to $500,000; Greece $30,000 to $40,000; the Netherlands, $16,000 to $32,000; Portugal, $20,000; Russia, roubles, 200,000 to 400,000; Spain, $80,000; Sweden and Norway, $35,000 to $40,000; Switzerland, $30,000 to $40,000, and Turkey, $100,000

While not expecting that congress will make all these appropriations at once, the secretary hopes a beginning will be made.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The president has approved the acts to commission passed assistant surgeons in the United States navy and to provide for their examination preliminary to their promotion to the grade of surgeon; the joint resolution for the printing of consular regulations of 1896; for the relief of Peter Cooke, of Arkansas, and granting pensions to Nancy T. Dunkles and Mary W. Keefe.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The senate Monday confirmed the following nominations: John Y. Ostrander, to be commissioner in and for the District of Ala, to reside at Juneau. Postmasters: Indiana—W. R. Hamilton, Warren. Kansas—O. Z. Glenn, Lebanon. Also various promotions in the corps of the engineers and quartermaster departments of the army.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Bids will be opened in the treasury department March 15 next for the construction of two revenue cutters for the great lakes, each to cost $200,000. Specifications were printed Monday and will be forwarded to intended bidders on application.

Shot Two Women.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Alfred Dolphin, of No. 50 Jefferson street, shot his wife, Adeline, three times in the head while the two were in their room Monday night. He also shot Margaret Intrim in the back. The latter was visiting Mrs. Dolphin at the time. It is thought Mrs. Dolphin will die. Both women are at the Gouvenier hospital. Dolphin was arrested. The police says he was released from the prison Monday after serving a month's sentence.

The Dixon-Downey Fight.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Geo. Dixon, of Boston, and Jack Downey, of Brooklyn, fought 20 rounds to a draw at the Broadway Athletic club Monday night. Downey put up the best fight that the colored champion ever had to meet, and in the opinion of many the Brooklynites had the best of the argument.

The Vesuvius.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Feb. 16.—At 10 o'clock Monday morning the Vesuvius got up steam and rejoined Adm. Bunce's fleet off the Jetties. The Marblehead sailed for the Florida coast Monday afternoon to watch for filibusters and then she will proceed to Mobile.

A Bust of Bayard.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—The Daily Chronicle Tuesday says that the American residents of London will shortly present to United States Ambassador Bayard a bust of himself, the work of an an American sculptor.

A Failure at Quincy, Ill.

QUINCY, Ill., Feb. 16.—Wm. B. Bowen, who owned two large retail shoe stores here, was closed by the sheriff, acting for creditors Monday. No statement of assets and liabilities is given.

A Call to Arms.

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—J. N. Jolicos, a native of Crete, has issued a patriotic call to arms to Greeks in this country.

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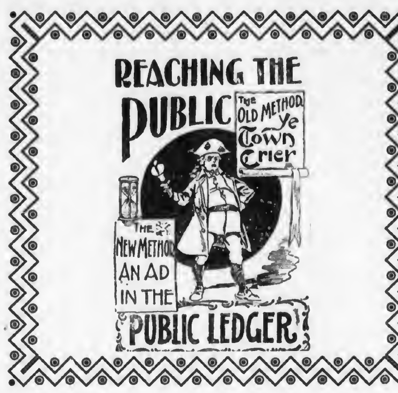

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CITY COUNCIL.

Meets First Thursday Evening in Each Month.

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MEMBERS.

First Ward.	*Fourth Ward.*
R. R. Frost, John Dersch.	H. L. Newell, T. H. N. Smith.
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Third Ward.	*Sixth Ward.*
L. C. Blatterman, John Eitel.	Fred Dressel, M. C. Hutchison.

The Councilmen are elected to serve two years.

MASONIC LODGES.

Confidence Lodge No. 52—Meets first Monday night in each month.
Mason Lodge No. 342—Meets second Monday night in each month.
Maysville Chapter No. 9—Meets third Monday night in each month.
Maysville Commandery No. 10—Meets fourth Monday night in each month.

ODDFELLOWS.

DeKalb Lodge No. 12—Meets every Tuesday night.
Ringgold Lodge No. 27—Meets every Wednesday night.
Pisgah Encampment No. 9—Meets second and fourth Mondays in every month.
Canton Maysville No. 2—Meets third Monday night in each month.
Friendship Lodge No. 42, D. of R.—Meets second and fourth Fridays in each month.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Limestone Lodge No. 36—Meets every Friday night.
Maysville Division No. 6 U. R.—Meets first Tuesday in every month.

I. O. R. M.

Meets every Thursday night in the K. of P. Hall.

JR. O. U. A. M.

John V. Keech Council No. 16—Meets every Monday night.

P. O. S. A.

Washington Camp No. 3—Meets every Wednesday night.

G. A. R.

Joseph Heiser Post No. 13—Meets first and third Saturdays in each month.
M. C. Hutchins Camp No. 2, S. of V.—Meets first and third Wednesday's of the month.
Woman's Relief Corps—Meets second and fourth Saturdays in each month.

K. OF H.

Maysville Lodge No. 2778.—Meets first and third Tuesdays in each month.

A. O. U. W.

Mason Lodge No. 20—Meets second and fourth Fridays.
Maysville Lodge No. 75—Meets every Wednesday night.

S. OF T.

Fidelity Division, S. of T., meets every Monday night in G. A. R. Hall.

BENEVOLENT SOCIETIES.

St. Patrick's Benevolent Society—Meets every second Sunday.
Sodality of the B. V. M.—Meets every Sunday.
Father Mathew Total Abstinence Society—Meets first Sunday in each month.
Ancient Order of Hibernians—Meets first Monday night in each month.
Knights of St John—Meets every Tuesday night
German Relief Society—Meets first Monday night in each month.

COLORED SOCIETIES.

MASONIC.

Acacia Lodge No. 24, F. A. M.—Meets second Wednesday night in each month.
Mt. Hermon Chapter No. 8, R. A. M.—Meets second Friday in each month.
Palestine Cammandery No. 6, K. T.—Meets fourth Friday in each month.

G. U. O. O. F.

Maysville Star Lodge No. 1948.—Meets first and third Friday night in each month.
Household of Ruth No. 87.—Meets second Thursday night in each month.

DAUGHTERS OF THE TABERNACLE.

Congo River Tabernacle No. 80.—Meets first Thursday in each month.

DAUGHTERS OF THE GOOD SAMARITAN.

Evans Lodge No. 9.—Meets first Wednesday night in each month.

U. S. F.

Good Will Lodge No. 46.—Meets first Saturday and third Wednesday night in each month
Young's Temple No. 44.—Meets first Monday night in each month.

G. A. R.

McKinnevan Post No. 166.—Meets third Saturday night in each month.
Woman's Relief Corps No. 28.—Meets first Tuesday in each month.

COURT DIRECTORY.

MASON COUNTY COURT.

Meets Second Monday in Each Month.

M. C. Hutchins, Presiding Judge........ Maysville
George W. Adair, County Attorney........ Maysville
William D. Cochran, Clerk........ Maysville
J. C. Jefferson, Sheriff........ Maysville
Sam P. Perine } Deputies { .... Maysville
J. R. Roberson } .... Maysville
John Johnson, Jailer........ Maysville
John D. Roe, Coroner........ Maysville
J. D. Dye, Assessor........ Maysville
G. W. Blatterman, School Sup't........ Maysville

[Quarterly Court meets Tuesday after the second Monday in January, April, July and October, and has civil jurisdiction to the amount of $200.]

CIRCUIT COURT.

Hon. J. P. Harbeson, Judge........ Flemingsburg
J. H. Sallee, Commonwealth Att'y........ Maysville
Isaac M. Woodward, Clerk........ Maysville
J. N. Kehoe, Master Commissioner........ Maysville

—Courts Meet—

Mason—At Maysville first Monday in February and June and third Monday in November.
Fleming—At Flemingsburg first Monday in January, Tuesday after fourth Monday in April and third Monday in September.
Greenup—At Greenup first Monday in April, third Monday in July and first Monday in November.
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WAR IN CRETE.

Greek Corps of Occupation Lands Near Canea.

Demonstrations of the Wildest Joy in Athens Over the News.

One Hundred Men Each From the Russian, French, British, Italian and Austrian Fleets Occupy the City of Canea—Turkey Gives Assent.

ATHENS, Feb. 16.—The latest advices from Canea say that a heavy battle is in progress. The Christian insurgents are making a vigorous attack upon the fort with artillery, but the Turkish resistance was successful up to last accounts, although the engagement was sanguinary on both sides. The Turkish authorities at Canea have begged the commanders o. the foreign fleets to land men and occupy the town. They have telegraphed to their respective governments for instructions, which, as yet, have not been received.

LATEST PICTURE OF THE SULTAN

Serious fighting is also in progress in other parts of the island, with varying fortunes, between the Moslems and Christians. The Greek people are in a state of frantic excitement, and are unanimous for war. King George has really no choice in the matter of the bellicose policy, which has been adopted. The feelings of the people are beyond control, and there is little doubt that the king would be driven out of the country if he ventured to oppose them.

CANEA, Feb. 16.—The commanders of the British and other foreign warships stationed here have informed Prince George, commanding the Greek torpedo flotilla, that they have received orders to prevent the occupation of the island of Crete by Greece and if necessary to use force to carry out these instructions.

ATHENS, Feb. 16.—Advices received here from the island of Crete announce that the "corps of occupation," consisting of infantry, artillery and engineers, numbering 1,500 men, which embarked at Piræus Sunday, have landed at Platanias, 14 kilometers west of Canea. The warships of the powers, these advices also state, had previously landed strong detachments at Retimo, Heraklion and Canea.

When the announcement was made here that the corps of occupation under command of Col. Vassos, chief, had landed in Crete, demonstrations of the wildest joy were indulged in by the populace.

A dispatch from Canea states that Col. Vassos has issued a proclamation to the Cretans and has demanded that the Turks surrender.

CANEA, Crete, Feb. 16.—One hundred men each from the Russian, French, British and Italian fleets at Canea, and 50 Austrians have been landed, under command of an Italian officer, and have occupied the city, the Turkish officials having given their assent to the step. The flags of the nations represented by the occupying force have been hoisted upon the ramparts of the fortress.

PARIS, Feb. 16.—In the chamber of deputies Monday M. Hanotaux, minister of foreign affairs, replying to an inquiry by M. Jaures regarding the situation in Crete, said that the status of affairs in that island was such as to render a public exhibition impossible. M. Jaures expressed his dissatisfaction with the reply of the foreign minister to his request for information and demanded that the Cretan affair be discussed at once by the chamber. Thereupon M. Meline, the premier, declared that such action was impossible, as the discussion would necessitate the divulgence of secrets which are not France's alone and demanded that the consideraton of the matter be adjourned, and this course was adopted by a vote of 382 to 70.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—The Standard Tuesday prints a dispatch from its Athens correspondent saying that the powers have decided to supervise the execution of a new charter for Crete, the chief feature of which is the autonomy of the island under the joint rules of the powers.

The Standard's correspondent further says that he has been assured by a Greek official of high position that Emperor William of Germany used his influence very largely to effect this solution of the matter, which is hailed with delight and the crisis is considered to be over.

A Publisher Sentenced.

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—The United States supreme court has affirmed the decision of the lower court in the suit against Joseph R. Dunlop, publisher of the Chicago Daily Dispatch. He must go to Joliet prison for two years and pay a fine of $10,000. He was convicted of publishing obscene advertisements in his newspaper.

Prominent Operator Dead.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Feb. 16.—Thomas D. Williams, for the past 18 years chief operator of the Western Union Telegraph Co. in Pittsburgh, and well-known to the fraternity throughout the country, died Monday morning of pneumonia. Mr. Williams had been connected with the Western Union for more than 60 years.

IN CONGRESS.

Bankruptcy Bill Taken Up in the Senate—Sundry Civil Bill Passed in the House.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—SENATE—Monday the bankruptcy bill came up as the unfinished business. The senate substitute for the bill was read in full and a substitute for the 16 sections was offered by Nelson (rep., Minn.). It was not read. The bill was then laid aside. A conference report on the senate bill to provide time and places for holding terms of the United States courts in Utah was presented and agreed to. The house amendments were concurred in. A conference report on the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill was presented and agreed to. A conference was ordered on the agricultural appropriation bill. The private pension bills on the calendar, numbering 24, were taken up and passed. One of these increased the widow of Gen. Benjamin S. Roberts' pension to $50 a month.

HOUSE—The sundry civil bill was passed Monday. Senate amendments to the agricultural appropriation bill were non-concurred in and sent to conference. Bills passed: To supply the national guards of the various states and territories with modern Springfield rifles of 45 caliber in exchange for their present rifles; extending the time for the completion of the St. Paul, Minnesota and Manitoba railway in Minnesota. senate resolution authorizing the secretary of the navy to furnish a naval or other ship to transport to India certain supplies donated by western states for the relief of the starving poor of that country. The bill to provide for the adjustment of claims of the United States against the state of Tennessee and the claims of the state of Tennessee against the United States was defeated—yeas 55, nays 41, two-thirds being necessary to pass the bill.

WHITE SQUADRON.

Heavy Gun Practice by the Big War Vessels in Charleston Harbor.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Feb. 16.—The feature of the day in the blockading of the port of Charleston by Amd. Bunce's fleet consisted of some heavy gun practice by the entire squadron. Shortly after 1 o'clock the ships moved into their blockading positions and putting out floating targets at distances ranging from 400 to 1,000 yards, began to get their main batteries into action.

The line of action was the same as that which the fleet has observed during the other blockade work, the Massachusetts to the north and then the Maine, Amphitrite, New York, Indiana and Columbia running away to the southward at a distance of 3,000 yards apart. The targets used were the ordinary floating triangles, of seven feet to the side. The practice began at 1:15 in the afternoon and continued without interruption until 3:30 p. m. The main batteries of the ships are the Massachusetts, four 13-inch, eight 8-inch, and four 6-inch guns; the Maine, four 10-inch and six 6-inch guns; the Amphitrite, four 10-inch and two 4-inch rapid-fire guns; the New York, six 6-inch and 12 four-inch rapid-fire guns; the Indiana, four 13-inch, eight 8-inch and four 6-inch guns; and the Columbia, one 8-inch, two 6-inch and eight 4-inch rapid fire guns. The guns on the individual ships were in action one at a time and while the ships were anchored. Only the Massachusetts fired her 13-inch guns at intervals of two minutes, and at one time the battleship Maine got under way and fired several shots at her target. The guns were loaded with service cartridges and shells were the main projectiles used. The booming of the guns reverberated for several miles along the coast and in the city the concussion could not only be heard but felt distinctly. The shooting was nearly all line shooting, and while the range of the targets were not gotten with accuracy, the practice was apparently successful. Many of the projectiles struck short of the targets, and plunging into the ocean, ricocheted sometime for a mile before making the second plunge.

ARTHUR DUESTROW,

The Condemned Murderer, Taken From St. Louis to Union, Mo.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 16.—Arthur Duestrow was taken to Union, Mo., at 9 o'clock Monday morning under an escort of four deputy sheriffs. Duestrow will be hanged in the jail yard at Union Tuesday for the murder of his wife and four-year-old son, in this city on February 13, 1894. A mob gathered at the city jail early Monday morning to witness the departure of Duestrow, but no violence was offered. At the Union station another crowd had assembled to view the noted murderer and it was with difficulty the police forced a passage to the train. Duestrow continued to feign insanity up to the moment of his departure.

A commission of lunacy appointed by Gov. Stephens examined Duestrow Sunday and made their report Monday morning. Two of the commission (Dr. Coombs of Kansas City and Dr. Woodson, of St. Joseph) decide that the murderer is sane, and the other members (Dr. Robinson of Nevada) is of the opinion that Duestrow is insane. Gov. Stephens announced this forenoon that he will be governed by the majority report, and will not interfere with the sentence of the court. The governor also states that he will not interfere in the cases of murderers Schmidt and Foster, who are to hang Tuesday at Clayton for the killing of Bertram Atwater, of Chicago, on January 18, 1896.

Corbett Starts for Carson City.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—James J. Corbett started for Carson City Monday afternoon, accompanied by his trainers, Billy Delaney and Jack McVey. The early part of the afternoon he spent in a handball court, where he played several games with his brother Joe and James J. Nealon. Afterward he put on the gloves and boxed four rounds with McVey. Walter Watson, boxing instructor of the Olympic club, and Aleck Gregains are much pleased with Corbett's condition and believe he will win.

Powell Clayton Does Not Deny It.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 16.—Powell Clayton, of Arkansas, who is here on business, Monday refused to affirm or deny that he had been offered the position of minister to Mexico by Maj. McKinley.

Susan B. Anthony's Birthday.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 16.—Miss Susan B. Anthony Monday received congratulatory notes from all over the country on this, her seventy-eighth birthday.

CAUTIOUS DONS.

Constant Uncertainty About the Movements of Patriots.

Gen. Weyler Urgently Demands a Reinforcement of 5,000 Soldiers.

He is Afraid of Being Defeated in Las Villas by Gen. Gomez—Spaniards Take Refuge in Fortifications, Leaving the Country in Control of Gomez.

HAVANA, Feb. 16.—The marquis of Ahumada, second in command of the island of Cuba, received Saturday a dispatch from Gen. Weyler urgently demanding a reinforcement of 5,000 soldiers to help him in Las Villas. Though this fact has been kept out of the newspapers and away from the general public, it is well known in official circles and by influential Spaniards, and has created a great sensation. Weyler is afraid of the advance of Gen. Gomez, now in progress, and thinks that the 25,000 regular Spanish soldiers under his command in Las Villas, besides the 6,000 or 7,000 volunteers and guerrilla forces, are not enough to check the Cuban leader.

The Spaniards have taken refuge in the towns and fortifications, leaving the country to the control of Gomez.

Without reinforcements Weyler does not dare to attack the Cubans. Gomez however, keeps moving from one place to another in the province, but all the while advancing slowly to the west, keeping Weyler in constant uncertainty about his intentions.

Here in Havana the situation is no more favorable to the Spaniards than in Las Villas. The 4,000 Cubans who are on the hills of Gavilan are constantly harassing the neighboring town of Managua and the Havana suburbs. Their flags displayed in the hills are seen from the capital.

Great uneasiness prevails here on account of all this, and Gomez's approach fills the authorities with keenest anxiety. At the same time the financial situation is desperate. The news that the government is willing to extend 30,000,000 the issue which it has already made of 20,000,000 in bank notes has created a panic. The merchants protest against such a measure as meaning the total ruin of the country. Daily runs are attempted on the Spanish bank of the island of Cuba, but a strong force of military police guards the doors.

KEY WEST, Fla., Feb. 16.—Passengers by the Mascotte from Havana state that the patriots are increasing in Havana and Pinar del Rio provinces. Trains out of Havana have been discontinued except to nearby points.

NEW ELEVATED ROAD

In New York City Opened—The Largest Draw Bridge in the World.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—The new elevated structure, extending from One Hundred and Sixteenth street to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, together with the Harlem draw bridge, of the New York Central railroad, which has been under construction for the past three years, was opened Monday for operation and the first trains were run over the new tracks Monday morning.

The first regularly scheduled train to pass was the Chicago mail. The train left the Grand Central depot at 8:02 o'clock Monday morning. It was made up of a 100-ton engine and seven 40-ton coaches, making an aggregate weight of 380 tons. The trestle and bridge having been previously tested, the Chicago mail thundered up the tracks at top speed. There was not the slightest unusual vibration, and everything worked like a charm. The draw at the Harlem river is the largest in the world. It is 400 feet in length by 58½ feet in width, and swings on a pivotal pier of solid masonry.

DOUBLE SUICIDE.

Millar Ripley and His Young Wife Die Together in Hawkins County, Tennessee.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Feb. 16.—A double suicide came to light in Hawkins county, Tennessee, Monday, by the finding of the bodies of Millor Ripley, aged 25, and his young wife. The couple had been missing since Saturday night, when it appears they burned the residence of Henry Sutherland, a brother of Mrs. Ripley. From her brother's home they went to the Holston river and drowned themselves. A note found in Ripley's coat pocket requested that the bodies be buried in the same coffin. The cause of their act is supposed to have been ill feeling between Ripley and the Sutherland family. Ripley was highly connected and had been married but ten days. Mrs. Ripley was possessed of some property, and they were not in distress in any way. Before taking the fatal step they piled their outer garments, saddles, etc., in a church and let their horses loose.

Young Peoples' Union Convention.

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—The executive committee of the Baptist Young Peoples union of America met in the Monon building, Monday afternoon for the purpose of selecting a suitable place for the holding of national convention. Chattanooga and Brooklyn have both been suggested, but as yet no decision has been reached. Another session will be held Tuesday afternoon.

The Remains of Gen. Joseph Shelby.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 16.—The body of Gen. Joseph Shelby, who died Saturday morning in Bates county, was brought to Kansas City Monday, and under guard was taken to the federal building, where it will lie in state until Wednesday at 10 a. m., when the funeral will take place. Thousands viewed the remains Monday afternoon and evening.

Mrs. Beecher's Condition Unchanged.

STAMFORD, Ct., Feb. 16.—Dr. Pierson, Mrs. Beecher's physician, Monday night said that his patient had passed a restful day and that her condition was unchanged.

CONDENSED NEWS

Gathered From All Parts of the Country by Telegraph.

Jack Stivetts and Catcher Yeager have signed with the Bostons.

Peter Maher defeated C. C. Smith at the Empire club, Buffalo, Monday night, in the sixth round.

United States Senator Walcott, of Colorado, who is making a tour of the continent in the interests of bimetallism, arrived at Berlin Monday.

The Eclaire asserts that a force of Greek troops has been landed in Crete. No confirmation of the statement is obtainable and it is not generally credited.

Controller Eckels said Monday that it would be necessary to appoint a receiver for the failed Merchant's national bank, of Helena, Mont., which closed its doors Saturday.

Prof. Charles Tom Linson, F. R. S., F. C. S., the well known writer and lecturer upon scientific subjects, died at Highgate, Eng., Monday. He was in the 69th year of his age.

Lee Harrison, who claimed to be first cousin to ex-president Harrison, died in Dennison, Tex., Monday, from a dose of morphine. The deceased was in straitened circumstances.

Wm. P. St. John, the former president of the Mercantile national bank, and one of the principal champions in the east of the cause of free silver, died at his residence in New York of a complication of kidney and stomach troubles.

The controller of the currency has declared a first dividend of 20 per cent. to the creditors of the First national bank of Ithica, Mich., and a third dividend of ten per cent., making in all 50 per cent. on the Farmers' national bank of Portsmouth, O.

The Greek population of New York were intensely interested and excited Monday over the news of the firing on the Turkish flag, and the evident intention of King George to defy the powers and place the island of Crete under the protection of Greece.

The Chicago Interior Decorating Co., at 149-150 Michigan avenue, made an assignment Monday in the county court, to George Martin, president of the company. The assets of the concern are said to be $18,000 and the liabilities are estimated at $102,000.

At Erie, Pa., Lorens Szerwinski, who shot John Ostrowski and was convicted of murder in the second degree, was sentenced Monday to twelve years and four months in Western penitentiary. Mike Gales, a notorious car robber, got six years in the same institution.

The National Sporting club of London has decided to decline to permit the proposed fight between Eddie Connoly, the American pugilist, and Dick Burge, who recently fought a ten-round draw before the Olympic Sporting club of Birmingham, to take place under its auspices.

Thaddeus Smith, a son of Sol Smith, the actor so prominent a generation ago, died at his residence in St. Louis, aged 56 years. He served with distinction in both the union army and navy during the civil war. He leaves a wife and three daughters. Mr. Smith was a native of Mobile, Ala.

The treasury deficiency for the first half of February is $3,859,500, and for the seven and a half weeks of the current fiscal year to date, $47,713,300. The money of all kinds in the treasury available for current use is stated at $216,000,000, of which $146,000,000, including the $100,000,000 gold reserve, is gold, $20,000,000 silver certificates, $11,000,000 United States notes and $39,000,000 of miscellaneous kinds.

Bank Cashier Goes to the Pen.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 16.—John H. Hoffer, former cashier of the First national bank of Lebanon, Pa., who was charged with embezzling $109,000 of the bank's funds, was arraigned in the United States district court Monday afternoon before Judge Butler. After a consultation with his attorneys the accused pleaded guilty and was sentenced to ten years imprisonment in the eastern penitensiary and ordered to pay a fine of $1,000. Hoffer was indicted Monday by the grand jury.

Forecast for Tuesday.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Ohio—Generally fair during the day westerly winds.

Kentucky—Generally fair; slightly warmer; southwesterly winds.

Indiana—Generally fair; winds shifting to southerly; slightly warmer.

THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 15.

FLOUR—Spring fancy, $3.75@4.10, spring family, $3.40@3.70, spring patent, $4.35@4.70, winter patent, $4.60@4.80, fancy, $4.15@4.35; family, $3.45@3.75, extra, $2.75@3.20, low grade, $2.50@2.70; rye, northwestern $2.00@2.75; do city, $2.60@2.75.

WHEAT—Sales Sample red, track, 79c.

CORN—Sales, No. 3 yellow, track, 23c, No. 2 white, track, 23½c; No. 2 mixed, track, 22¾c; do poor, 22½c; yellow ear, track, 23c, mixed ear, track, 22½c.

OATS—Sales No. 2 white, track, 22½c, do to arrive, choice, 23½c. No. 3 mixed, track, choice, 18½c; No. 2 mixed, track, 18½c.

HOGS—Select butchers', $3.55@3.60, fair to good packers', $3.45@3.55; fair to good light, $3.45@3.60, common and roughs, $2.90@3.25.

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	No. 18...5:35 p. m.†
	No. 20...7:45 p. m.†
	No. 4...10:46 p. m.*
West	No. 19...5:30 a. m.†
	No. 1...6:10 a. m.*
	No. 17...8:50 a. m.*
	No. 3...4:25 p. m.*
	No. 15...5:15 p. m.†

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7:55	4:56	" . Georgetown.. "	10:27	5:45
8:30	5:35	Ar...... Paris...... Lv	9:55	4:35
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	d7:45 p.m.	d6:00 p.m.
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W. W. Stubblefield, J. D. Mayhugh and C. E. Rummans have been appointed appraisers of the personal estate of the late Henry P. Wilson.

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And each woman dove down into a large black reticule and brought up a large, shiny purse, gave him five pennies, and, turning to the other, started in on a lively conversation.

"Fares, please," repeated the Conductor.

"What's the matter?" demanded one of the women. Ain't that enough? What are you charging now—10 cents a ride?" and she looked over at her friend and smiled knowingly.

"You'll have to pay for those children," said the Conductor.

"Pay for them? Well, I guess not. Why, I never heard of such a thing. I never had to pay for them before!"

"Well, you'll have to pay for them now," said the Conductor, dryly.

"Why, I won't do it. It's outrageous."

"Well, you'll have to get off, then," said the Conductor.

"What's that?" angrily demanded the other woman. Say, Mr. Smarty, my husband knows a man that works for this company, and he'll see that you lose your job. Why, goodness gracious, did you ever hear of such a thing?" And she seemed terribly shocked.

"Well, I can't help that," said the Conductor. "You'll have to pay your fare or get off," and he reached menacingly for the bell rope.

"Say," said the other woman savagely, as she reached for her purse again. "I wish I was a man. I'd show you!" And then they gave him fifteen pennies apiece and watched him until he rang them up.

"H-m," said the Conductor, exasperatingly, and he started away.

"That's all right, you brute," exclaimed the woman. "I'll teach you something—I'm a lady, I am—"

"That so?" said the Conductor. I'm glad you told me—I wouldn't have known it."

"Oh! oh!" said the woman.

And the Conductor went out and stood on the platform and smiled all the while until they got off.

A man in Detroit is engaged in the laborious if not laudable undertaking of writing 16,000 words on a postal card. He often indites 763 words on the back of a two cent stamp.

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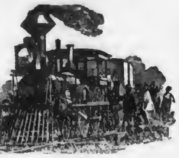

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Grand Musical Week at Cincinnati.

The Chesapeake and Ohio Railway will run a grand popular excursion to Cincinnati, on Wednesday, February 17th, account of the Damrosch Opera Festival. Tickets will be good going on regular trains 19 and 15 passing Maysville, Ky., at 5:30 a. m. and 5:15 a. m. and good returning until Friday February 19th. Fare for the round trip to Cincinnati from Maysville, Ky., $1 25. Don't fail to go on this grand excursion. Good plays at all the theaters. For further information apply to Agents C. and O.

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MRS. LOYALL

Under Arrest Charged With Murdering Her Mother, Assisted By Husband and Grandson.

HODGENVILLE, Ky., Feb. 16.—Jesse Loyall and wife were lodged in jail here Monday morning, charged with the murder of Mrs. Kitty Warren, in the Otter creek section of this county. Mrs. Loyall is a daughter of the murdered woman. A grandson of the dead woman is also wanted on the same charge, but he has left the country. Officers are now searching for him, and he will in all probability be apprehended.

It is believed that the grandson did the killing, but Loyall and wife are accused of being accomplices. Mrs. Warren was found dead last Sunday. Her face was badly bruised and her neck broken. She lived at the home of Loyall, and the circumstances surrounding her death were so mysterious that the people were led to believe that she had been foully dealt with.

At the coroner's inquest the parties above mentioned gave in evidence of such a nature in regard to Mrs. Warren's death that they were suspicioned and arrested.

BLOW UP BRIDGES

Will the Pike Owners in Revenge for Toll Gate Raids.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 16.—The officers of the Frankfort and Lawrenceburg turnpikes thinks the county authorities have not acted in good faith in their attempts to break up the toll gate raiders, and propose to get revenge on the county in a novel way. They say if the toll house is blown up with dynamite, according to the notice served gatekeeper Williamson Saturday night, they will abandon the pike and blow up the bridges, thus making the county expend something like $10,000 to repair it. Taking toll was resumed at the blown up gate Monday, and the raiders will have a chance to carry out their threat.

MANDATE ISSUED

In the Jackson and Walling Cases by the Clerk of the Court of Appeals.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 16.—The mandates in the Jackson and Walling cases were issued late Monday afternoon by the clerk of the court of appeals, who will take them over to the governor Tuesday morning. The governor is very busy right now over matters connected with the alleged mismanagement of the asylums, and may not take up the matter of fixing the execution day at once, though he may do so Tuesday, as he knows the wishes of Sheriff Plummer, and it will not be necessary to delay the matter for a conference with him or other Campbell county officials.

VERY SECRET,

But Gov. Bradley is Nearly Ready to Announce Changes.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Feb. 16.—The climax of Inspector Lester's recent investigation of the affairs of the Eastern Lunatic asylum is imminent. Gov. Bradley spent some time Monday morning in consultation with Superintendent Scott. What transpired between them is not known, but it is conjectured that as a result of the talk several changes will be made in the institution's staff. The board of commissioners met Monday night. Absolute secrecy as to what transpired is maintained.

Franklin on Trial.

PAINTSVILLE, Ky., Feb. 16.—The case of Milton Franklin for the killing of Thomas Stafford was called in the Floyd county court Monday afternoon. Prosecuting Attorney Ralph Booten is being assisted by Hon. Frank A. Hopkins, Walter S. Harkness and Robert A. Patrick, a brother-in-law of the deceased. The defense has retained Congressman-elect T. G. Fitzpatrick, John W. Howard and E. L. Kazee. The jury was impaneled Monday afternoon and the taking of the evidence will begin Tuesday morning. Franklin, who is only 17 years old, stabbed to death Thos. Stafford, aged 23, in the courthouse yard at Paintsville on the night of December 24, 1895.

Too Sensitive.

NICHOLASVILLE, Ky., Feb. 16.—Because he was reproved at church by Rev. Sawyer and afterwards rebuked by his mother Walter Overstreet, aged 23, and the son of a widow, left his home at Little Hickman Friday night and a crowd is searching the woods and cliffs for him. Walter left a lock of his hair and a note saying that he was going to kill himself. His disappearance was announced at Roberts chapel Sunday.

Moonshiners' Trials.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Feb. 16.—Deputy United States Marshal George Drake came down from the mountains Monday in charge of 14 moonshiners, to be tried in the federal court at Louisville. He had with him also 20 witnesses to the killing of Marshal Byrd by Jake Neace and Dan Farler, in Breathitt county, January 15. The charge against Neace and Farler will be investigated by the federal grand jury Tuesday.

Drowned in a Pond.

RICHMOND, Ky., Feb. 16.—Joseph Flagel, a Bohemian tailor, committed suicide here by drowning. He went to a large pond near town and removed his shoes and top clothing. Then he plunged into deep water and drowned before help arrived. Flagel had worked here 12 years and came to Richmond from Indiana.

Sidney Rodes Smith Dead.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Feb. 16.—Sidney Rodes Smith, the next oldest person in the city of Lexington, died Monday, aged 91. He was a brother of the late B. Howard Smith, one of Kentucky's soldier statesmen.

New Building for Newport, Ky.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The Ohio and Kentucky river appropriations and $50,000 for commencement of the Newport post office, included in the sundry civil bill, passed the house Monday.

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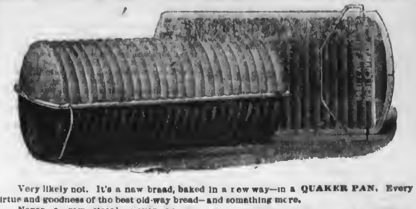

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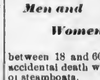

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